





# FCLC Weekly News

Summer of Gifts Sunday School/Bible Classes for all ages at FCLC this Sunday—August 8 — 9:30 to 10:30 AM

Name of Class	Attendees	Instructors	Room
The Gospel of Luke (9 of 11)	Adult, HS	Pastor Bruce	226
Make Your Own Leather Bible Cover	HS, MS	Michael Hanratty	125
Be a Scout!	Adult, MS, EL	Bruce Smith	230
Duke, the Therapy Dog	A, HS, MS, EL	Teresa Riemenschneider	125
Jammin' For Jesus	Preschool/KDG	Dawn Baas	107

**KidsHope** needs prayer partners

Behind the scene of the mentor and the child is a **prayer partner**. We are short a few prayer partners for the mentors that have already signed up...Call LaRae at 303-776-8771 and get connected.

## Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study

"A Walk Thru the Life of Solomon Pursuing a Heart of Integrity" — Gain a better understanding of the common moral, ethical and social issues faced by both this larger than life figure in the Bible and Christians today. Ordering Books—\$6 Register Now. Nanette@fclc.org

Last Wednesday to meet August 11, 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

## Kneesitters' Club

Running throughout the summer, children ages 3–2nd grade are invited to come to this **Christian story hour** which will also include crafts, snacks and/or games. Checking out a book from the church library will also be included. Contact: nanette@fclc.org !

## ACTS

Starting September 9, 9:30 to 11 am, the

women's Bible study group meeting in the library will be studying the Book of Acts. Lessons will be available the last week of August. All women are welcome. Anyone who wishes to participate (or thinks she might), contact Chris Goble (303-834-8121, [chris.goble@bridgetest.com](mailto:chris.goble@bridgetest.com)).

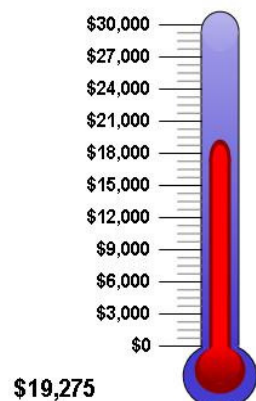
We meet for prayer, shared concerns and general fellowship followed by a Bible study.

## Stephen Ministry

- > Offering a training class
- > Starts October, Thursdays, 7-9 pm
- > A minimum of 10 people
- > If you feel called to sharing your faith and being trained as a lay person to 'walk along side' someone while they are going through a challenging time, this class may be for you.
- > Refresher for previously trained SM's.
- > To obtain an application or talk to someone, contact Karla Irvin at 303-485-5779.

## Honoring Our Faith Journey of 30 years with a Gift

### Thermometer Chart



It is not late to help us support our brothers and sisters in the OROMO Evangelical Church, which serves African Lutherans who have immigrated to the U.S. by designating your gift as 30th Anniversary gift.

### Men's and Women's Bible Study—

#### The Book of James

When: September 9 to November 18  
7-8 pm Room 103-104

Study one of the most up-front, rubber meets the road, meat and potatoes books in the Bible...James. This New Testament letter from Jesus' earthly brother talks about faith, wisdom, the love of money, prayer and more...Contact Nanette to register.

# Worship Team

Leap of Faith Band ONLY rehearsal Thursday, Aug 12,

Aug 19, & Aug 26—6 to 7 pm

Leap of Faith Vocals rehearsal Sunday, August 22

and August 29 — 6:30 to 8pm

Students grades 6th through 12th are welcome to join us.

Adult Worship Teams new music rehearsal is

Saturday, August 28

10 am to Noon.

Are you thinking—maybe this year is your year to lead worship? Please join us!

## TANGLED BLUE CONCERT

**Abiding Hope Lutheran Church of Littleton** ( 6337 S Robb Way, Littleton, CO Phone (303) 972-1283) invites you their worship center for a concert featuring "Tangled Blue" on, Wednesday, August 11 at 7 pm with a cost of \$10 to benefit the Second Wind Fund of Metro Denver.

**Information about Tangled Blue** It is a unique sound that incorporates latin and electronic percussion as well as acoustic and electric guitars. This music was created largely in front of audiences, so it is designed to engage the listener. Hearing these troubadours in concert with their infectious melodies is an experience the listener won't soon forget. Tangled Blue performs throughout the U.S. at churches, coffee shops, colleges, youth gatherings and festivals. What is **Second Wind?** The mission of Second Wind Fund of Metro Denver (SWFMD) is to decrease the incidence of teen suicide by removing financial and social barriers to treatment for at-risk youth. Second Wind Fund is one of the largest mental health providers in Colorado for youth, sustained through gifts from the community. We have helped over 1,600 youth across six counties, and we continue to receive an average of 3 requests each day to provide free talk therapy for uninsured/underinsured youth at-risk for suicide. Over 90 licensed providers across Denver continue to help these youth, in their greatest time of need, at a significantly reduced rate.

## FAITHBOOK

### TIP #4

This week we are continuing to focus on getting involved! You may notice the "GROUPS" tab at the top of the page. Click on that tab and you will be taken to the "My Groups" page. You will see that the first group you are a member of is the "FCLC CHURCH FAMILY – HOME PAGE". (You may already be a member of other groups, depending on your current involvement.) Just above this box you will see a link to "browse groups". Here you can do just that... browse the groups currently available to join at FCLC. Take a look and see if there are any that interest you. Clicking on the title of the group will take you to that group's home page. At the right side of the page you will see a big grey button "Join this Group". Click that button, and you are on your way!

## Prayer Concerns

Let us know how we can pray for you. Call the office: 303-776-8771.

Please note that blue indicates a new prayer request or a change in one.

- † [Irving Ringdahl family](#)—death of Irving's sister.
- † [Kayla Smith](#)—The stomach biopsies came back negative. Praise the Lord! The doctor has ordered a couple more tests.
- † [Alicia Stover](#) — the death of her mother, Suzanne Cain.
- † [JoEllen Amundson](#) — Her father is now in Hospice care in Minnesota.
- † [Dave Koehler](#) — His dad's, Elden, pneumonia is resistant to antibiotics and his is wanting to start his journey home to the "Lord."
- † [Mark Koschade](#) — His sister Marcia diagnosed with ovarian cancer, has had surgery and is about to begin treatment
- † [Joy Kotula](#) — Her son, George, struggling with social anxiety disorder.
- † [Sharon Kirby-Cole](#)—Healing and restoration from surgery on 7/29.
- † [Bev Morgan](#)—Bev and family as she is now in Hospice care in Louisville.
- † [Pat Sharp](#) — Brother-in-law recovering from back surgery; physical healing and spiritual growth through this suffering
- † [Bill Baker](#) — Recovery following his surgery; we pray that he is on the right antibiotics.
- † [Tom & Debra Kankiewicz](#) - healing of family relationships, and of heart, mind, soul of her father.
- † [Alice Turner](#) — strength and wisdom in decision-making on health concerns.
- † [Chloris Pedersen](#) — Donna Koehler's mother, recovering from a fall.
- † [Vince Schoeninger, William McClurkin, II, Mark MacDonald, Jon Prout, Eric Smith, Zack Morton, Ian McCormick, Matthew Parker, Jared Adams, Chris Hassa, Robb Kammerzell, Brent Davis, Ryan Moore, Ramee Oppenude, Kanit Dararutana](#): FCLC members and relatives of members in US military forces: for God's protection; strength for body, mind, soul.
- † [Matt Brents](#) — In Iraq on another one-year civilian contract: for his safety and God's peace.

### The following families who are battling cancer and its effects:

- † [Ron Wormke](#) — Positive test for prostate cancer.
- † [Ken Lowry](#) — Prayers of thanksgiving that the PetScan results show the cancer is still in remission.
- † [Shirley Johnson](#) — Fight against lung cancer with regular chemo treatments.
- † [Mark Praska's father](#) — Battling prostate cancer that has become more aggressive.
- † [Kirsten Simpson](#) — Her dad, Pete Beckett, diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma; chemo.
- † [LaRae Schaff](#) — Her dad is still battling bone cancer.
- † [Jeff & Kim Bonds family](#) — Jeff's brother, Jerry, battling Multiple Myeloma.
- † [Sharon Kirby-Cole](#) — Praises that her son, DJ, is in stasis from terminal cancer.
- † [Kathleen Cirbo's father](#) — Diagnosed with stage 4 non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

**Prayer-chain**—If you would like to join the [prayer-chain group](#) or if you have a prayer request, you may log in to FCLC's [FAITHBOOK](#), join the [Group—'Prayer Chain'](#) and then you may send prayer requests to that group. If you do not wish to belong to the **prayer-chain** group in [FAITHBOOK](#) and have a prayer concern, you can always contact the church office via email at [office@fclc.org](mailto:office@fclc.org) or call the church office: 303-776-8771 or Marsha Tollefson: 303-651-2354; your prayer request will be posted. **Prayer Shawl Women** — Remember FCLC women of the Prayer Shawl Group have the [comfort of a warm prayer shawl available](#) at no cost for anyone dealing with a health issue or going through a difficult time. [Contact](#): Marsha Tollefson: 303-651-2354 / Carole Freeman 303-772-1949.



If you desire personal prayer support, Stephen Ministers are available to pray with people [after](#) each service. Contact the Welcome Center.

Students and Parent—follow the discussion and updates for FCLC Youth on [Facebook](#).

Do a search for "[The F.C. Youth and Family](#)" group.

Looking for a good book to read...checkout a book from FCLC's Library. In a cool, comfy corner...escape August's heat with a heart-warming, inspiring, thought-provoking, humorous, comforting, and / or challenging BOOK! The FCLC library will provide you with a few thousand books to select from. Have you read a good book you would like to recommend for our library?